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In re U.S. Patent Application of: ROTH, R. et al) Examiner: KOO, B. K.
Serial No.: 09/586,307)) Group Art Unit: 3764
Filed: June 2, 2000)) Confirmation No.: 6714
For: Massage Device))
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2002. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

ELECTION OF CLAIMS

In the Office Action, the Examiner requested an election of claims pursuant to a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. §§ 121 between Group I Claims 1-25 and 89-102 and Group II claims 103-106.

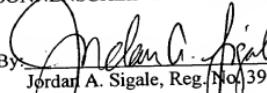
In response, the applicants hereby elect examination of Group I Claims 1-25 and 89-102 which are drawn to a massage device, classified in class 601, subclass 152.

REMARKS

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee, if necessary, to Account No. 19-3140 regarding this response. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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